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In re application of:	)	Examiner: Nguyen, Nhon D	$\mathcal{O}/\mathcal{P}$
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For: Device Discovery and Control	)	•	
In a Bridged Home Network	)		
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Application No.: 09/592,596	)		
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Filed: June 12, 2000	)		
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## **AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir/Madam:

Applicant hereby responds to the Office Action dated June 9, 2003 (paper no. 6) in the above-referenced patent application. Reconsideration and allowance of the patent application is respectfully requested in view of the following amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of the claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 10 of this paper.

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